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| Applicant:  | Kawasaki et al.                                                                | ) |
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| For:        | FLOATING SLIDER AND<br>MAGNETO-OPTICAL<br>STORAGE DEVICE<br>INCLUDING THE SAME | ) |
| Art Unit:   | 2627                                                                           | ) |
| Examiner:   | Goma, Tawfik A.                                                                | ) |

## SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE C

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In furtherance of Response C, filed March 30, 2009, and in further response to the Office Action dated October 29, 2008, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: